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I. Vocabulary and Idioms: 30%

Part A. Vocabulary (2 points each)

Choose the most appropriate word to complete the sentence.

題號	題目
1.	After running 10 kilometers, he was completely out of (A) breath (B) brush (C) breeze (D) bridge.
2.	The referee blew the (A) balloon (B) trumpet (C) whistle (D) flute to signal the end of the match.
3.	Serena Williams is famous for playing (A) chess (B) tennis (C) basketball (D) baseball.
4.	The soccer player was given a red (A) light (B) card (C) hat (D) goal and had to leave the field.
5.	Swimmers need to practice in a (A) court (B) ring (C) track (D) pool to improve their speed.
6.	In the Olympics, the athlete who finishes first wins the (A) silver medal (B) gold medal (C) trophy (D) certificate.
7.	In baseball, the player who throws the ball is called the (A) pitcher (B) kicker (C) striker (D) blocker.
8.	The Super Bowl is the championship game for (A) golf (B) American football (C) hockey (D) tennis.

Part B. Idioms (2 points each)

Choose the most appropriate idiom to complete the sentence.

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1.	The match was tough, but we finally won! That was a real (A) piece of cake (B) ballpark figure (C) nail-biter.
2.	He trains every day because he knows that (A) practice makes perfect (B) time flies (C) curiosity killed the cat.
3.	The coach told us to give it our best shot, so let's (A) break a leg (B) break the bank (C) break out.
4.	She was losing at first, but in the final minutes, she made a (A) comeback (B) breakdown (C) dropout and won the game.
5.	They were confident about the match, but the underdogs (A) hit the nail on the head (B) knocked it out of the park (C) threw in the towel and lost.
6.	He has been practicing all year for the Olympics—it's (A) now or never (B) sooner or later (C) better late than never.
7.	The team was struggling, but their star player entered and (A) changed the game (B) missed the boat (C) jumped the gun.

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II. Matching: 20% Choose ONE from A. to J. to fit into the context of each question.

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1.	The final game is unpredictable. Both teams are equally strong.
2.	Everyone is excited for the championship game—it's all we can talk about!
3.	I'm really nervous before my race, but I try to stay calm.
4.	He trains every morning and evening. He never gives up.
5.	Our team is losing, but we still have time to change that!
6.	I'm trying my best, but this workout is way too intense!
7.	I'll do my best and hope that luck is on my side.
8.	We have worked so hard for this competition. Now is our chance to shine!
9.	You missed practice for a week. Now you need to catch up.
10.	If you want to be a champion, you have to keep pushing yourself.

- (A) It's a level playing field.
- (B) All eyes are on the big game.
- (C) Keep your cool.
- (D) No pain, no gain.
- (E) Never say never.
- (F) This is my breaking point!
- (G) Fingers crossed.
- (H) Now or never.
- (I) Time to get back in the game.
- (J) Practice makes perfect.

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III. Life & Culture: 20%

Part A. Part A. Match the following events or traditions with their associated objects or customs. (2 points each)

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1.	The Nobel Prize Ceremony
2.	The Academy Awards (Oscars)
3.	Black Friday
4.	The Summer Solstice
5.	April Fool's Day

- (A) Shopping discounts and long lines
- (B) Receiving a gold medal and diploma from the King of Sweden
- (C) Playing pranks and hoaxes
- (D) Celebrating the longest day of the year in some cultures
- (E) Golden statuette awarded for film achievements

Part B. Choose the best answer to show your knowledge of world culture. (2 points each)

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1.	Which of the following is a big international sports event with many different sports? (A) Wimbledon (B) The Super Bowl (C) The Olympic Games (D) Tour de France
2.	Which country is famous for the martial art Taekwondo? (A) Japan (B) China (C) South Korea (D) Thailand
3.	What is the capital city of France, where the Eiffel Tower is located? (A) Madrid (B) Paris (C) Rome (D) Berlin
4.	Which sport is played in the FIFA World Cup? (A) Basketball (B) Tennis (C) Soccer (Football) (D) Baseball
5.	What is the name of the famous bicycle race in France? (A) The Boston Marathon (B) The Monaco Grand Prix (C) Tour de France (D) The Ironman Triathlon

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IV. Reading & Choose the Best Answer: 30%

Taiwan Beer, one of the top teams in the Taiwanese Super Basketball League (SBL), has signed 27-year-old American forward Tevin Mack. Standing 201 centimeters tall and weighing 103 kilograms, Mack brings a strong physical presence and a wealth of international experience to his new team. His ability to score, rebound, and defend makes him a valuable addition to the squad.

Before joining Taiwan Beer, Mack began the season with New Taipei CTBC DEA in the Taiwanese Professional Basketball League (TPBL). In just seven games, he impressed coaches and fans alike by averaging 21.6 points per game, 9.9 rebounds, 2.4 assists, 1.0 steals, and 1.1 blocks. These numbers show that he is a well-rounded player who can make a difference on both ends of the court.

Mack also gained valuable international experience when he represented the United States at the World University Games in Napoli, Italy, six years ago. During the tournament, his team won the gold medal, and over six games he averaged 9.5 points and 4.3 rebounds. He shot 66.7 percent from the field, 29.6 percent from three-point range, and 42.9 percent from the free-throw line. This international success has helped him grow as an athlete and prepared him for a demanding professional career.

Throughout his career, Tevin Mack has played in seven different countries across four continents. He has competed in Europe, Asia, Africa, and North America. His professional journey has taken him to China with the Pioneers; Greece with Apollon Patras and Karditsas; Kosovo with Sigal Prishtina; Portugal with Sporting; Italy with Orlandina; and Libya with Al Ahly Tripoli. He also played in The Basketball Tournament, where he helped his team win the championship title in 2023. This wide range of experiences shows that Mack is adaptable and comfortable with different playing styles and cultures.

In addition to his professional career, Mack has an impressive college background. He graduated from Clemson University in 2020, where he developed his skills and learned the importance of teamwork. Before attending Clemson, he also played at the University of Alabama and the University of Texas. His hard work and talent earned him the title of South Carolina 3A Player of the Year in both 2014 and 2015.

Now, as he joins Taiwan Beer in the SBL, Mack is ready for a new challenge. His proven ability to contribute in many ways will help his team compete at a high level in one of Taiwan's most competitive leagues. His move to Taiwan marks an important milestone in his career. Many experts believe that his diverse background and solid performance will inspire local players and raise the overall standard of basketball in Taiwan. Mack is determined to

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work hard, learn new techniques, and build strong relationships with his teammates. His dedication both on and off the court is expected to bring a new energy to the league, making the upcoming season very exciting.

1. Taiwan Beer is one of the top teams in the _____ Basketball League.
A. American | B. European | C. Taiwanese Super | D. Australian
2. Tevin Mack, the new signing, is _____ years old.
A. 25 | B. 27 | C. 30 | D. 29
3. Mack stands _____ centimeters tall, giving him a strong physical presence.
A. 190 | B. 195 | C. 201 | D. 210
4. While playing for New Taipei CTBC DEA, he averaged 21.6 _____ per game.
A. rebounds | B. assists | C. blocks | D. points
5. In the World University Games held in Napoli, Italy, his team won the _____ medal.
A. silver | B. bronze | C. gold | D. platinum
6. During the tournament, he shot 66.7 percent from the _____.
A. free-throw line | B. three-point range | C. field | D. bench
7. Throughout his career, Tevin Mack has played in _____ different countries.
A. five | B. six | C. seven | D. eight
8. He has competed in Europe, Asia, Africa, and _____.
A. Australia | B. South America | C. North America | D. Antarctica
9. In 2023, he helped his team win the championship in _____.
A. the World Cup | B. the NBA Finals | C. The Basketball Tournament | D. the Olympic Games
10. Tevin Mack graduated from _____ University in 2020.
A. Harvard | B. Clemson | C. Stanford | D. Oxford
11. Before attending Clemson, he also played at the University of _____ and the University of Texas.
A. Kentucky | B. Alabama | C. UCLA | D. Michigan
12. He earned the title of South Carolina 3A Player of the Year in 2014 and _____.
A. 2013 | B. 2015 | C. 2016 | D. 2017
13. His move to Taiwan Beer marks an important _____ in his career.
A. victory | B. challenge | C. milestone | D. defeat
14. Experts believe his diverse background will _____ local players.
A. discourage | B. inspire | C. confuse | D. overwhelm
15. Mack is determined to work hard, learn new techniques, and build strong _____ with his teammates.
A. rivalries | B. partnerships | C. relationships | D. competitions